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RUSHVILLE, IND. MONDAY EVENING, JULY 31, 1905.

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## THE CONTRACT HAS BEEN LET

**Grading of Connersville Extension to be Done by Terre Haute Firm**

**Work to Begin at Once—Grading Must be Finished by December First.**

It will not be many days now until the sound of "Haw, Bill," "Gee, Tom," the clanking of chains, the noise of the steam shovels and the sight of flying dust will greet the observer who passes along the C. H. & D. or the wagon road between this city and Connersville. It will not be long until the work of grading for the Connersville extension of the Indianapolis & Cincinnati Traction company is in progress.

Saturday morning, at Indianapolis, bids upon the grading contract were opened by the officials of the company and the job was awarded to a Terre Haute firm. The grading will be done by the T. W. Kinse Construction company, a firm that has a wide reputation for doing work of this kind in a rapid and most substantial manner.

This company agrees to have the grade completed by December 1st, 1905. It is the intention to begin work immediately. Many teams and a large force of men, with complete equipment for doing the work, will be transported here at once, and put to work at different points along the right-of-way.

Much of the grade, especially that part located among the hills in Fayette county will be constructed with steam shovels. Two of these machines will be put to work just as soon as they can be brought here and properly placed. One of them will be put to work at Williams creek and the other at the large hill just this side of Connersville. It is the intention to bring more steam shovels and other grading machinery here and to put them to work as soon as possible.

The work of grading will be pushed as rapidly as possible in order to get it completed in time. The grade will be comparatively level between Rushville and Glenwood and for quite a distance beyond, but the greatest difficulty will be encountered among the Fayette county hills.

## FINE STALLION DIES SUDDENLY

**Stellar Chimes Drops in His Stall at Riverside Park.**

About 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, Stellar Chimes, a trotting stallion for whom the owner, John Warth, of Cincinnati, recently refused \$3,500, dropped dead at Riverside training park after having been given two heats upon the track.

At noon the horse ate a hearty meal. Harry Jones took him to the track for a work out and put him through one heat in 2:36 1/2, and another in 2:35. The horse seemed to be feeling well as he was very playful and wanted to romp when led upon the track. While cooling off after the second heat he squealed slightly and fell dead just as he was being led into his stall. Dr. Hall, the veterinary surgeon, who was called, is of the opinion that the animal died of heart trouble and that a blood clot will be found about the heart when a post mortem examination is made tomorrow.

The horse was a four-year-old, black in color and considered a very bright prospect. He had no mark. Mr. Jones had intended to race him on the Great Western circuit this season and had entered him in about \$8000 worth of stakes.

—W. E. Inlow, of Manila, transacted business here today.

## HEAVY RAINS

**Cause Lose of Life and Destruction of Property in Connecticut.**

Bridgeport, Conn., July 31.—Loss of life and immense damage to property followed the bursting of reservoirs north of this city as a result of the unprecedented fall of rain early Sunday. The precipitation in the series of showers which struck across Connecticut reached a total of seven inches. The dam at Ward's mill at Easton went out, sending a great body of water down through the town of Trumbull. In a short time the dam at the paper mill broke. There was no warning to the people who lived on the banks of what is usually a small water course. One person was drowned and several houses were swept away.

## WHEAT NOT UP TO EXPECTATION

**Yield in Fairview Neighborhood Averages About Sixteen Bushels.**

Special to the Republican

Fairview, July 31, 1905.—All the wheat in this neighborhood is thrashed and the average yield is about sixteen bushels per acre. The best yield was from twenty-one acres of wheat raised by Hugh Beaver on his farm half a mile south of Fairview. This wheat yielded thirty bushels per acre. The quality of the grain is not as good as was at first expected. A very small per cent. of the wheat, if any, graded sixty pounds to the bushel.

## RUSHVILLE WINS ONE, LOSES ONE

**Dugan Downs The Lancaster Bunch and Wagner is Shut Out.**

In the series of three games played at Lancaster, Ohio, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Rushville succeeded in pulling off one measly victory. Rushville should have won Friday's game by all means. Dugan, by masterly pitching, managed to defeat the Buckeyes Saturday in a game abounding in a sensational fielding.

Sunday the team failed to give Wagner the proper support and went down in defeat by the shut-out route. Jake Tomlin, of Columbus, Ind., was on the slab for Lancaster, and had Rushville completely at his mercy. The only man that was able to connect with the ball was Wagner.

Compton, of the Lancaster team, played a star game in right field, pulling down three apparent hits and also throwing a runner out on a ground hit. The Lancaster infield played fast, and, although some of the chances were exceedingly hard, they never wobbled.

Score in Saturday's game:  
Lancaster 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
Rushville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1  
Hits, Lancaster 5, Rushville 7; two base hits, Winter, Carter; Batteries, Ferrell and Winters; Dugan and Campfield.

Score in Sunday's game:  
Lancaster 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9—R H E  
Rushville 1 0 2 0 1 0 0 2 x—6 8 0  
Earned runs, Lancaster 1; two base hits, Wagner 2, Winters, Gygli; stolen bases, Allen, Gygli; double play, Latimer and Herold; base on balls, by Tomlin 1; struck out, by Tomlin 5, by Wagner 3; batteries, Tomlin and Winter, Wagner and Campfield; umpire, Price.

—Miss Ida Conover, of Kokomo, who has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Gertrude Conover, has returned to her home.

## GYPSIES PLAY GRAFTING GAME

**Vegetables Missed from Garden While Owners Have Fortunes Told.**

**Have Been Operating in Other Cities—Boy Missing from Laurel.**

One of the neatest grafting games ever played by a band of gypsies to obtain provisions, was used by the tribe of Roumanians, who have been operating in this city.

"Mine haven you fortune told?" says a small and queerly garbed Roumanian, who advances to the front door of a frame house, and who quickly captures the attention of the occupants of the house by her unsightly appearance. Of course the young gypsy maiden is granted the request, especially when she says that she will make use of her art to reveal the future free of cost, and while the owners of the farm houses are busily engaged with the small intruder at the front of the house the rest of the gypsy band is making a raid upon the garden truck, and it is surprising to see the amount of vegetables that they can carry away inside of a few minutes.

After the greedy curiosity of the people has been appeased the young gypsy girl quickly disappears and the owner of the garden finds that he has been robbed of about a week's rations.

This trick has been executed on many farmers who reside west of this city. It has also been reported that one woman, whose name we have been unable to ascertain, was attacked by two other gypsy women, because they were refused an article of clothing that the lady had on.

There are several hundred gypsies in this band, and they are scattered all over this part of the State. From our exchanges we read that similar forms of robbery are being used by the other members of the band, in order to obtain their provisions.

A dispatch has been sent to police authorities in our neighboring towns, which states that a fourteen-year-old boy, named Smith, has mysteriously disappeared from Laurel. The message said that a band of gypsies had passed through that place, and that the boy might be with them. It seems that this band of Roumanians are a bad crowd, and they should be watched closely until they move out of our vicinity.

## SOCIETY NEWS

Miss Pauline Coverston will entertain several of her friends Tuesday night.

Mrs. J. B. Reeve entertained the Five Hundred club this afternoon at her home on North Main street.

Miss Carrie Lambert delightfully entertained six couples of her friends at her home on North Oliver street Friday evening.

Miss Bernice Anderson will entertain at her home south of this city, Tuesday night, in honor of Miss Blanche McDaniel, of Shelbyville.

Mr. Marshall Blackledge and wife entertained several of their friends Sunday at their home in Union township. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Blackledge, Mr. and Mrs. Ab. Denning, Mr. and Mrs. Alvan Moor, and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Amos.

Mr. Bert Mull and wife, residing south of this city, entertained several friends at their home Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sex Hilligoss, Kate Alfred, of Indianapolis, Mr. Jack Hilligoss and family, Miss Kate Hilligoss, of Shelbyville, and Fred Mull and wife, of Circleville. The day was pleasantly spent and all were delighted with the style of Mr. and Mrs. Mull's entertaining.

—Miss Blanche Cowing went to Anderson this evening to see her aunt, Mrs. Newlin, who is sick.

## CARRIERS MAY DO IT

**Mail Hustlers May Be Given a Chance to Paint Rural Mail Boxes.**

Rural carriers, it is declared, are preparing to go into the painting business. Since the recent order of the postoffice department that all mail boxes throughout the country must be green, the carriers have been wondering whose duty it would be to transform the rural mail boxes from the usual white to green in accordance with the new order. They were not in doubt long, however, for it is asserted that an order has gone out from the department, ordering the work to be done by the rural carriers.

Each carrier is to paint the boxes on his route. The order does not make it compulsory for the carriers to do the work and if a carrier prefers not to enter into the contract the government will employ some other person to make the change. The carriers will be allowed extra money for this service and it is expected that the majority of them in this county will be willing to do the painting while off duty. They can arrange to paint three or four boxes a day. The government will furnish the paint and will give the carriers extra compensation for doing the work. Just how much will be received by the carriers is not stated in the order, but it is believed the pay will be sufficient to make it worth while to the carriers.

## SHOT ON RETURN FROM A DANCE

**Girl is Attacked by Four Young Men While Walking With Escort.**

Miss Mary Thompson, 18 years old, of Shelbyville, was seriously shot Saturday night while walking along a country road, in company with Lloyd Wickum, after attending a country dance near the home of Haze Stafford, one mile from Shelbyville.

While they were talking with Mr. and Mrs. Stafford, just before their departure from the Stafford home, two buggies, occupied by four men, passed. Twenty minutes later, as Miss Thompson and Wickum were walking up the road, stones began whizzing about them, one of which struck Wickum on the leg.

Then a number of pistol shots were fired, one of the bullets taking effect in Miss Thompson's hip. As the girl fell to the ground Wickum picked her up and carried her to the home of Henry Fritz, where a horse and buggy were obtained and the young woman was taken to her home in Shelbyville where she now lies in a critical condition.

The two recognized a voice which said as the shots were fired: "I will learn you a trick about going with my sister."

Miss Thompson says the owner of the voice was well known to her, as it came from a discarded suitor. As yet no arrests have been made. It is believed that the affair will create a sensation when thoroughly investigated and the names of the persons become known.

—Frank Caldwell, of Indianapolis, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Caldwell, and family.

—Harry Dumas, who for the past year or two has been working at the tailoring trade in this city, left yesterday for his home in Windsor, Canada, where he will remain.

—Mrs. Addie Cavert, of Independence, Kansas, is visiting the family, of S. F. Clifton and other friends here. Mrs. Cavert is a daughter of Rev. J. W. Ferrell, who lived here some twenty odd years ago.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Reed, of Indianapolis, spent Sunday in this city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cambern. Mr. Reed is deputy auditor of State. While here he walked about the city and inspected the power house, car barns and other things about town. It was his first visit to Rushville, and he was much impressed with Rushville's beauty.

## GOV. CUMBACK IS STRIKEN

**Greensburg Man Suffers Attack of Acute Indigestion and Can't Live.**

**Hearty Meal Eaten at Dinner Party Causes Collapse of Noted Indianian.**

Ex-Governor Will Cumback of Greensburg, who has a host of friends in Rushville, was stricken early Sunday morning with uraemic poisoning, following an attack of acute indigestion and Sunday night, Dr. Thomas, one of the attending physicians, said that his patient could not live more than twenty-four hours and that the probabilities were that he would die before this morning.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Cumback gave a 6 o'clock dinner to a number of their neighbors, at which Mr. Cumback ate very heartily. He passed a restless night, and early Sunday morning was seized with violent pains. A physician was called at once and diagnosed the case as acute indigestion. Complications arose almost immediately and later uraemic poisoning developed with strong paralytic tendencies. During the day Mr. Cumback lost strength rapidly and Sunday night his condition was critical.

Mr. Cumback is past 76 years old and few native born Indianians have achieved greater fame. He was born in Franklin county and commenced life as a farm laborer. He later taught school and then took up the study of law. In 1854 he was elected to Congress, defeating William S. Holman. In 1860 he was a presidential elector, and the next year entered the army, serving through the civil war. In 1866 he was sent to the State senate and in 1868 he was elected lieutenant governor. In 1869 he was the caucus nominee of the Republican party for United States Senator, but a bolt on the floor of the House, caused by his rivals, resulted in his defeat. In 1887 he was made Collector of Internal Revenue, which position he held twelve years.

Since 1883, Mr. Cumback has devoted his time very largely to literary work and lecturing. He has spent most of his time in late years at Greensburg, where he and his wife have been noted for their lavish entertainments. Mr. Cumback's two children, Will Cumback, Jr., of Indianapolis, and Mrs. John Lovett, of Anderson, have been summoned to the bedside.

The Republican, this afternoon at 2 o'clock called up the Greensburg News by telephone, and was informed that Mr. Cumback was still alive, but that his death was expected almost at any moment.

## DIED SUDDENLY WHILE ON VISIT

**Mother of Mrs. William M. Sampson Found Dead in Bed at Hope.**

A telegram was received here early this morning by Mrs. Marian Sampson, wife of William Sampson, residing on West Third street, to the effect that her mother, Mrs. Garrison, had been found dead in bed.

Mrs. Garrison was away on a visit to relatives. Hope is her old home, but for a time she had been residing with her daughter in this city.

The telegram contained very little information. It was not known that Mrs. Garrison had been failing. Death is supposed to have been due to heart trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Sampson have gone to Hope. It is probable that the funeral and burial will take place there.

## PRIVATE BANKING LAW

**The New Regulations Prove to be Effective in Indiana.**

Indianapolis, July 31.—"Every private bank in the state has either complied with the law, changed to a state or national bank, or gone out of business," said George U. Bingham, head of the banking department in the auditor of state's office.

Until a few weeks ago there were twelve private banks still violating the law in several particulars. Proceedings were ordered against each one of them by Auditor of State David E. Sherrick. Following these instructions the prosecuting attorney in each county where an outlaw banker was located filed suit.

It was learned that most of the banks dropped out of existence, while the remainder either changed to a state or national institution. During the past week four former private banks have filed articles of incorporation as state banks.

## NEXT REUNION TO BE HELD HERE

**Descendants of John Jones Gather at Indianapolis Fair Grounds.**

This morning's Indianapolis Star says it was Jones day at the Fair Grounds yesterday, and the person whose name was not Jones or was not closely allied to the Jones family felt strangely out of place at the Fair Grounds. In all there were about 175 Joneses at the gathering to eat the yellow legged chicken and other good things and to exchange reminiscences.

Yesterday's marked the sixth annual reunion that has been held at the Fair Grounds, and for the first time in as many years it happened that no one had with him a copy of the "history of the family. When an inquisitive stranger began asking a few pointed questions about the early ancestry of the John Jones family there was a moment of genuine embarrassment.

However, it developed that John Jones, founder of the family that gathered yesterday to honor his memory, was born in North Carolina 128 years ago. He was married to Esther Fisher, and the two came to Indiana, being among its early pioneers. On their arrival in this State they freed all the slaves which they had brought with them. The couple were the parents of thirteen children.

Their descendants are among the most prominent people of Indiana, Ohio and Illinois, and the family register also contains the names of persons from the far West. The next reunion will be held at Rushville.

Officers of the association are: Buchanan Watts, Indianapolis, president; E. L. Jones, Indianapolis, treasurer; E. R. Walker, Indianapolis, secretary, and Miss Agnes Walker, Lebanon, historian.

## FOUGHT OVER A FIVE-LEGGED PIG

**Shelby County Youth Stabs Another With Butcher Knife.**

Jay and John Sims, 9 and 11 years old, sons of Charles Sims, of Letts Corner, Shelby county, quarreled Sunday afternoon over the possession of a five-legged pig, when Jay stabbed John in the left side with a butcher knife, after which Jay went to the house and told his mother that he had "put John out." The mother went into the yard, where she found John unconscious. The boy cannot recover.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ben. L. McFarlan and Miss Elgie Thomas spent Sunday with Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Seright, at Milroy.

## LOCAL BREVITIES

The Rushville base ball team plays at Zanesville, O., tomorrow and Wednesday. It is at Carroll, O., today.

John Kitchen, of Columbus, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Kitchen, Saturday evening.

Charles Stiffler, the genial little heavy weight clerk at Hume & Darnell's bakery, is enjoying a week's vacation.

Clyde Miller went to Cambridge City, Saturday, and purchased a fine Shetland pony and cart for his little daughter.

"Billy" Griffin, formerly of Griffin Station is now motorman on the interurban between Indianapolis and Logansport.

John Dagler returned Saturday from North Vernon, where he won two races with his string of horses. He is at Dayton O., this week.

J. B. Reeve, who has been very sick for some time, has so far recovered as to be up and about the house and out in the yard for a short time each day.

A warrant for arrest has been served against Joseph Vickory, a factory hand at Innis & Pearce's for refusing to be deputized by Officer Gordon, while the latter was attempting to arrest Col. Ochiltree. He has been set for trial on Saturday afternoon.

All of the right-of-way for the Shelbyville-Greensburg traction line has been purchased and settled for satisfactorily with the exception of a strip of ground at St. Paul owned by a man named Floyd. The ground contains less than an acre, but the owner demands an exorbitant price for it. The traction company will condemn it and take it.

—S. O. Norris, of Milroy, was in the city on business today.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Reed visited friends in Cincinnati Sunday.

—Thomas Mungavin spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Connersville.

—Eugene Millison, of Shelbyville, was the guest of friends here over Sunday.

—Herman Walters, of Indianapolis, spent Sunday with Henry Schenkel and family.

—Miss Bertha Monjar has returned home from a visit with relatives at Richmond.

—John P. Frazee and family will leave Wednesday for an outing at Lake Maxinkuckee.

—E. L. Kennedy and family returned from a visit with friends in Portland, Indiana today.

—Miss Mary Belle Harrison, of Shelbyville, is the guest of Misses Bertha and Jessie Monjar.

—Miss Pearl Dawson, of Indianapolis, visited M. C. Dawson and family, of this city, over Sunday.

—Mrs. George R. Conover and children, of Indianapolis, are the guests of K. F. Conover and family.

—Miss Mary Egan, who has been the guest of Miss Marie Crosby, has returned to her home at Indianapolis.

—Mrs. Henry Dawson, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned to her home in Auburn, Ill., today.

The Rush County Board of Education met today. It was decided to reopen the county schools on September 11th.

—Harry VanOsdel has gone to Indianapolis, where he has accepted a position with A. L. Gary in the Young People's Reading Circle.

—George and Harry Hardy and Mrs. Hardy, daughter Helen, and mother, Mrs. Fontaine, of Indianapolis, spent Sunday with R. F. Conover and family.

On the occasion of a cyclist's wedding at Epping, near London, the other day the bride and bridegroom rode to church on single machines and returned on a tandem.

Thirteen carloads of black walnut logs were shipped from Stroud, Okla., to Germany last week. Eight carloads more of the same kind of timber are ready for shipment.







## COUNTY NEWS

### Carthage.

William Macy, of New Castle, visited friends here last week.  
Miss Stella Kennedy, of Greenfield, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ann Kennedy.  
Luther Dubois and Miss Bonnie Henley returned from Earlham, Friday.  
Miss Essie Schaffer, of near Greenfield, visited relatives here a few days last week.  
A. L. Linville, real estate agent of Morristown, was in town Friday.  
Mrs. Ada Porch was home from Indianapolis, over Sunday.  
Millard Hall, of Indianapolis, spent

Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. C. Hall.  
Charles Gear visited his brother Earl in Marion, Sunday.  
Harvey Fletcher, of St. Louis, arrived here last week to be the guest of his aunt, Mrs. J. H. Duncan.  
Bert Winslow, of Thorsby, Alabama, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Winslow.  
Mrs. Frank Coffin, of Indianapolis, visited W. P. Henley and family last week.  
Miss Electa Henley, of Richmond, came Saturday for a visit with Miss Bertha Hill.  
Dr. J. C. Sexton, of your city, was in town Sunday.  
Mrs. Albert Johnson and Mrs. J. T. Scull were in Indianapolis Friday.  
Miss Hallie Retherford left Monday for Winona Lake to be the guest of Miss Ruth Coffin.

Chas. Kinder, of Indianapolis, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kinder, last week.  
Levi Binford went to Indianapolis Saturday to visit his son, M. D. Binford and family.  
Frank Bender, of Knightstown, was calling on friends here Friday.  
Miss Gertrude Wheeler returned to her home in Wabash Monday. She was accompanied by her little niece, Cora Baldwin, of Kentucky, who has been the guest of Miss Katherine Newsom.  
Misses L. E. Biffin and Ida Jessup were in Rushville Saturday.  
Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Sparks and family, of your city, were here Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Newsom.  
Ed. N. Hill and Charles Newlin were in Indianapolis Saturday.  
J. M. Stevens, of Rushville, visited

his little son at William Manley's Sunday.  
Chas. Porter and Mrs. Julia Wrennick, of Charlottesville, were here Sunday, visiting W. T. Hill and family.  
Rev. J. C. Hall, is spending a week with friends in Illinois.  
Miss Eva Johnson left Saturday evening for Martinsville.  
Miss Winona Newsom gave a garden party at her home Saturday afternoon for little Miss Katherine Newsom and her guest Miss Cora Baldwin, of Winchester, Ky.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Henley returned home Monday after a pleasant stay at Bass lake.  
Mr. E. N. Hill and Miss Winona Newsom and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adkins went to Greensburg Sunday in Mr. Hill's auto.

### In and Around Fairview.

Several from here attended the show at Rushville last Tuesday.  
Jot. Caldwell, of Cambridge City, was in Fairview last Thursday greeting old friends.  
Mrs. Martha Lucas, of Rushville, called on friends here Thursday afternoon.  
Miss Dolly Lewis visited friends in Indianapolis last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Shirewood, who lives northeast of Fairview, are entertaining a fine daughter that the stork left at their home Friday morning.  
Mrs. Cal Caldwell spent Friday and Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Henry Rees, near Longwood.  
Mrs. John Thrasher and daughter, Mrs. Miles Daubenspeck, were in Connersville Saturday.  
Alton, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Pierson, of Rushville, was buried at the Fairview cemetery Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Pierson were at one time residents of this neighborhood, and have the sympathy of their old friends and neighbors in their sad bereavement.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Thrasher, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Piper were in Connersville Sunday.  
Messrs. John Smelser, John Higley and Berry Rush went to see the ball game at Connersville Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Hittle entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morris and daughter, of near Rushville.

### Glenwood.

Mr. E. E. Hungerford, superintendent of the Sunday school organization of the county, was in attendance at the U. P. and M. E. Sunday schools. The collection at the M. E. Sunday school was \$1.50.  
Rev. T. J. Anthony preached a very practical sermon last Sabbath. Quite a good audience were in attendance, considering the hot weather.  
Miss Helen McCorkle, of Carthage, is visiting Miss Jessie Murphy. Miss Jessie gave a party on Monday evening in honor of Miss Helen. Quite a good many of her former young friends were present.  
A carriage load of colored people passed through our village en route to work on the I. & C. traction line.  
Wm. Combs is furnishing beef for the traction people. John W. Young is furnishing groceries for them.  
Wm. Jones has come back to clerk for John W. Young—too much business for one clerk.  
Mr. Hungerford dined with Bro. Thompson on the Sabbath.  
Allen Hinchman, while running a threshing machine, north of town, run his hand into an elevator, and his arm was nearly broken.  
Some people were at the show that possibly ought not to go to places of that kind.  
The question is often asked by country people: "What reason do the people that oppose the incorporation give for their conduct?" Do they favor progress and the betterment of humanity? Do they aim to help man to cultivate the true fraternal relation designed by the great author of their being?

Is it not strange to see people desiring to punish persons for violation of law, yet they will do it themselves. Their answer is that the offenders may do us some private injury. In short they can see their neighbors' faults, but they cannot see their own.  
The bulk of the wheat is threshed in this vicinity. The oats threshing has already begun.  
Mr. Louis Ludlow is home from Washington, D. C., taking his vacation.  
The Odd Fellows conferred the second and third degrees upon brother T. W. Mingle on last Saturday night. Alpha.

### POPULAR

## CHEAP EXCURSION

TO  
**Niagara Falls**  
Thursday, August 10, '05,  
**Big 4 Route,**  
Only \$6.50 Round Trip from  
Rushville.

Toronto, Ont., only \$1.50 more than rate to Niagara Falls.  
Alexandria Bay, N. Y. (Thousand Islands) only \$7.00 more than rate to Niagara Falls.  
Montreal, Que., only \$10.65 more than rate to Niagara Falls.  
Stop-over allowed at Westfield, for side trip to Chautauqua Lake.  
Tickets good returning twelve days including date of sale. Elegant trains of Pullman Sleeping Cars and Superb Day Coaches, personally conducted by representatives of the "Big Four"—who will look after wants of the passengers.  
These excursions need no introduction to the public and the popularity of the Big Four, the natural route to Niagara Falls via Buffalo—is well known. Full information in pamphlet form can be obtained from Big Four Ticket Office.  
WARREN J. LYNCH, Gen'l. Pass. & Ticket Agent, Cincinnati, Ohio.

## GOOD ROADS STATE

### Indiana in a Position to Push to Front Rank in Road Building.

### NATURAL RESOURCES

Deposits of Gravel and Stone Are Found in Abundant Quantities in Nearly Every County.

State Geologist Blatchley Is Preparing a Comprehensive Exhibit Along This Line.

Indianapolis, July 31.—Indiana's rapid rise as one of the best "good roads" states in the country will be the basis of the 1905 report of W. S. Blatchley, chief of the state geological department. The natural deposit of stone and gravel in nearly every county in the state is far above the other states, and the geologist thinks there is no reason why every section of Indiana should not have excellent roads.  
"I have five assistants in different parts of the state working on the 'good roads' report for 1905. A section is laid out for each, and their reports will be given. In many places they are finding gravel beds where they were never known to exist. Everywhere they are advocating the necessity of good roads. The mileage of macadam and gravel roads of the state will be compiled. The report will be the most entire ever published."

## PEOPLES' COLUMN

Under this head we will print short discussions of public questions and timely topics, but the Republican will not be responsible for the opinions expressed—they are the opinions of the writers and not of the Republican. Nothing of a libelous nature or personal reflection will be printed. The writer must confine themselves to the question discussed. While the articles may be signed by a nom de plume, the name of the writer must be signed for identification.

### The People's Gas Company Case of Milroy.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 27, 1905.  
Editor of the Republican:  
I wish to make a statement in answer to an article which recently appeared in your columns, discussing my connection with the People's Gas company, of Milroy. The article openly hints at dishonest dealing, saying that my removal to Indianapolis was probably due to my shortage as treasurer, which shortage was placed at about \$350. The article goes on to state that the auditing committee "is waiting for Mr. Richey to come here and explain everything."

The facts in the case are these: When I resigned as treasurer of the company and handed over the books, I told the committee if there was any mistakes on my part I would make good after they had audited the books and satisfied themselves as to the exact amount. They reported to me that the shortage would probably reach \$70. On this report I deposited \$75 in the Milroy bank to the credit of the company, which the committee agreed would be satisfactory.

As to their waiting for me to come to Milroy to explain, etc., I made three special trips to Milroy for the purpose of settling up the matter, but could never get a meeting with the committee. It was not until my fourth trip, on July 17th, that I succeeded in meeting the committee for a settlement, and one of the members of the committee told me they had never been all together before this time. This was July 17th, and I had handed the books over to them May 28th. Then some of the committee tried to get me to pay them for their day's work in auditing the company's books.

The final difference, according to the committee's own report, was less than \$100, in which the treasurer was held for back gas bills never collected, and in which he was not allowed other accounts which will certainly be allowed when the books are audited again.

The article also says that I refused to turn over the books in 1903, when the stockholders wanted to make an investigation. There is absolutely no truth in this statement.  
It seems pretty clear, therefore, that nothing but ignorance or malice, or both, can account for the article in which the real author hides his identity by writing under the title of a staff correspondent.

Very truly,  
MORTON E. RICHEY.

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### RUSSIANS ROUTED

Japanese Insure Their Occupation of Sakhalin.

Tokio, July 31.—The following dispatch has been received from the Japanese army headquarters: "Our independent cavalry which entered Rykoff (on Sakhalin Island, forty-five miles northeast of Port Ducl), July 27, withdrew on finding order in the city unfavorable to its occupation. Our army, intending to crush the enemy's forces before they retreated from the eminences west of Rykoff, commenced to advance at 3 a. m., July 28. The van, together with an independent body of cavalry, advanced by forced marches, taking and dislodging the enemy holding the northern extremity of Rykoff, and rushed into the town. Confused street fighting ensued, but the town was completely taken at 8:30 o'clock in the morning. The enemy's main strength, which opposed our right column, fled in disorder southward, taking the short route leading to Pareono.  
"On July 28 a detachment which was sent south in pursuit of the enemy met the enemy's infantry, some 800 strong, at a point six miles south of Rykoff, and killed more than 200 and captured 500.  
"The enemy's strength opposed to our right column was of some 3,000 infantry and four guns and four machine guns, and that opposed to our left column some 2,000 infantry and four guns."

### "Never," Says the Czar.

St. Petersburg, July 31.—The emperor has issued the following note in reply to an appeal from the clergy of Orenburg not to conclude a shameful peace: "The Russian people can rely on me. Never will I conclude a shameful peace or one unworthy of great Russia."

### Reviving College Days.

New York, July 31.—Baron Komura, Japanese peace plenipotentiary, and Baron Kaneko, the Japanese financial agent, both of whom are Harvard graduates, went to Peekskill Sunday, where they visited some friends of their college days.

### NATIONAL DIGNITY

Russia's Pride Will Cut Big Figure in Coming Conference.

London, July 31.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent on board the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, on which M. Witte, the Russian peace plenipotentiary, is a passenger, sends an interview which he has had with M.



MORTON E. RICHEY, RUSSIAN REPRESENTATIVE AT THE PEACE CONFERENCE.

Witte, in which the latter said that if Russia and Japan had agreed upon a common basis before appointing peace plenipotentiaries, it would have been much better. As it was M. Witte said he regarded himself rather as an imperial courier sent to ascertain the terms of Japan. He was prepared to make peace, nevertheless, he added, as his powers were very complete, and he would discuss the demand based on Japan's actual military and naval successes in a businesslike spirit of give and take.

"But I cannot and will not," continued M. Witte, "entertain demands based upon expected military successes in the future. I am conversant with the humane intentions of my imperial master and I will do anything compatible with Russia's honor and dignity to establish that work of which I have been an unswerving advocate. My first task, however, in the new world will be to search for a basis for fruitful discussion."

### SEEING AMERICA.

Wonderful Scenic Trip Across the Rocky Mountains to Oregon Exposition.

In certain respects the excursions to the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition, Portland, Oregon, via Pennsylvania Lines, beginning May 23d and continuing through the summer, offer advantages never before presented to Exposition visitors. The trip to the Oregon Exposition, in addition to the attractiveness of the extensive exhibits, includes the journey through the scenic wonderland of the Rocky Mountains and the Cascade Range, and what American has not looked forward from the days of the geography class in school to the time when those great sights should be seen in reality? The time was never so favorable as now. The trip may be made less expensively than ever. For only a slight difference in fare, tourists may extend their trip to San Francisco and Los Angeles. The return trip may be made over a different route, enabling travelers to view much more of the West. For full particulars, fares, dates of special excursions to Portland on account of Conventions, through time and passenger service apply to ticket agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

## How the Contestants in the Republican's Popularity Race Are Running:

Ivy Temple No. 10, Rathbone Sisters of Rushville.....570  
Little Flatrock Church of Noble township.....550  
Big Flatrock Church of Orange township.....60  
U. P. S. S. Shiloh Church of Center township.....49  
Glenwood Public School of Glenwood.....34  
Franklin M. E. church, Ripley township.....25



Ebenezer Church of Washington township.....21  
Modern Woodmen of America, Rushville.....20  
M. E. Sunday School of Rushville.....19  
C. W. B. M. Society, Ben Davis Creek Church.....17  
Ladies' Musicale of Rushville.....10  
M. E. Church of Glenwood.....10

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Subscription to the daily Republican by mail three months, or Semi-Weekly Republican by mail six months, 75 cents, a special coupon of.....	5 VOTES
Subscription to The Daily Republican, in the city by carrier, three months in advance, \$1.00, a special coupon of.....	8 VOTES
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Subscriptions may be paid at the office of The Republican or to any of our agents or accredited solicitors, or be sent in by mail. In the latter case be sure to give the name of the church or organization for which you wish your vote to be cast.

### TO WIN, VOTE EARLY AND OFTEN.

A good start is half the battle. Enter your Church or favorite organization in the Republican's Popularity Contest today, with as many votes as possible. Go in to win. Get your friends and fellow-members interested and start them to voting. Make your motto "Watch and work,"—especially WORK. Constant effort will do wonders in advancing the standing of your favorite in the race. Missionary work that you can do without much trouble may bring in the votes needed to secure the magnificent \$300 Piano offered by The Republican to the most popular Church, Sunday School, Lodge, Club, or Labor Organization in Rush County.

### THE RACE HAS JUST BEGUN. START TO WORK TODAY.

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## LOCAL BREVITIES

Contractor Coates is sick and unable to attend his duties.

The sewer, which has been contracted for by the United Presbyterian church, will be completed Tuesday.

The Little Flatrock C. W. B. M. will meet with Mrs. Henry Wilson, on Thursday afternoon of this week.

What is commonly known as the "bag worm" has made its appearance in a great many truck gardens in this city.

N. R. Farlow and Miss Iva, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Riggsbee, were quietly married at Arlington last evening at 8 o'clock.

E. W. Ball, Elwood Ferguson, Chas. Worth, Selman Webb, together with their wives and families, picnicked Sunday at Blue river park.

The work on the foundation of the new United Presbyterian church is being delayed as cement cannot be obtained for its necessary construction.

And now it comes to pass that the Greensburg city treasury is "busted." The finance committee there say that the city needs money and needs it badly.

The Union Traction company has made arrangements to build a new freight depot 50 x 100 feet at Anderson, to accommodate the growing freight business of this company.

In our edition of Saturday we had among the short sketches of some of our business men, Joseph Lushell, tailor, in Beher building, this should have been Commercial Block.

A Shelbyville man was heard to remark that he was glad the present heated spell came, for he and his wife had been able to agree that it was hot, their first agreement in six months.

The Rushville Natural Gas company is drilling wells in its fields near Gwynnville, in Shelby county. Ed. Adkins is doing the work and the company expects to drill five new wells.

The town was full of gypsies Saturday. It seems that the same band which was in this city had passed through Laurel, as the police in that city suspected them of having kidnapped a small boy.

A "sure thing" gambler was taken in at the Hagerstown fair, for trying to operate a spinster machine. He had already separated a few suckers from their money when caught. He was jailed at Richmond.

The Knights of Columbus will hold a carnival in the Catholic church park on Tuesday and Wednesday nights, August 23d and 24d. There will be various forms of amusement, including a high dive, shooting gallery, etc.

The old game of croquet is quite the thing in Rushville and from all reports seems to have been revived all over the country. It is sensible, healthy exercise and deserves a permanent place in the recreative world.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Union church, of Sells Chapel will give a lawn festival Saturday night, August 5th, in the school house yard, just north of the church. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Shelbyville Liberal has been charging that things are not as they should be at the Shelby county poor farm and charged one of the commissioners with improper action with an inmate. An investigation was to have been made, but when the superintendent of the poor farm was called to testify he refused and the investigation stopped.

A railroad official acquainted with the conditions of the C. H. & D. thinks that the remodeling of its passenger station at Cincinnati is a mistake, as when completed it will be an old affair rebuilt and by no means convenient for the increased business coming to the C. H. & D. lines. He thinks the company should have built a modern, handsome structure further up town.

Madame Corrinne, the Scientific Palmist, will make Tuesday her last day. Visit her. It

Yellow clothes are unsightly. Keep them white with Red Cross Ball Blue. All grocers sell large 2 oz. package, 3 cents.

\* A wheat wagon broke down on Second street Saturday evening in front of Flinn's grocery store, but the bed was raised, the wheels replaced and the wagon proceeded upon its way.

For eleven innings Sunday the Rushville Appolos and Falmouth base ball teams battled for diamond supremacy. The game finally ended in a victory for the Appolos by a score of 7 to 6.

Mr. Morton E. Richey, of Indianapolis, formerly treasurer of the People's Natural Gas Co., of Milroy, publishes a statement in the "People's Column" in this issue, explaining his connection and position with reference to the investigation of his books as treasurer of that company.

Jesse Ruby, of this city, who is playing with Rock Island in the Three I League, has been out of the game for some time, his temporary suspension of playing being caused by a growth on one of his arms. The St. Louis Sportsman says that Ruby is the fastest outfielder in the League.

Knightstown is to have a street fair and carnival the week of August 7th to 11th. It will be given under the management of the U. R. K. of P. No. 104 of that city. The company secured for the occasion is the Monarch Street Fair and Carnival company, going to Knightstown from Brazil, Ind.

Word from Ad. Spivey states that he has been given a choice of territory as State manager for the Pennsylvania Implement Company between Indiana and Ohio. Mr. Spivey chose Indiana and will have his headquarters at Indianapolis. This makes it much better for Mr. Spivey as it will not necessitate his moving away.

The threshing of the oats crop is now well under way and the results are beyond expectations. The grain in most instances is said to be perfect and in good condition and the yield very good. Already several fields have made a yield of fifty bushels to the acre. This with the tremendous hay crop, the big wheat yield where any was sown and the almost unprecedented prospect for a big corn crop certainly make fine prospects for the farmer.

Connersville News: They are going through the street and sewer assessment sweat, down at Brookville, and several property owners will resist payment, alleging that the assessment is unfair. John Shirk, the banker, kicks on paying 99 cents a foot, when his neighbor across an alley, Jack Johns, pays 11 cents. Edgar O'Hair is representing the "kicking" property owners. Thomas Bridges' Son had the contract.

Greensburg Review: A new skin game is being worked as follows: A man canvasses the country selling a patent churn. He goes to the farmer and gives him a good jolly—offers a \$10.00 churn for \$5.00—this the farmer refuses to pay, but finally consents to try the churn a week paying \$3.00 cash, the other \$2.00 at the end of the week if the churn proves satisfactory. These churns are now being distributed all over northern Indiana, and as yet the jolly solicitor has not yet returned either for his churn or the \$2.00, and the farmer has a fine \$1.50 churn for which he paid \$3.00, but then the experience is worth the difference.

Knightstown Banner: During the past two or three weeks Knightstown has been reeking with scandal, in which the names of many society inclined persons have been lashed and counter-lashed with a vehemence that is simply appalling to those who tread the narrow path. Immorality stalks abroad in our midst. The teachings of our several ministers are sneered and jeered at. The Sunday schools are lightly attended. Parents seemingly have forsaken their children. Crime, misery and lawlessness run riot in open violation of the law. Men and women, high toned people, seek each other, mingled together in dark and secreted places, and thus debauch society. Where will it all end?

Tuesday is the last day of the Palmists. See them. It

### The Indiana Redman.

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## PERSONAL POINTS

—Frank Lyons is visiting Indianapolis friends.

—Mrs. Cornelia Lyons spent the day in Indianapolis.

—Chas. Walling and family moved to Knightstown today.

—Howard Mullin visited friends in Indianapolis Sunday.

—Bert Simpson visited friends in Indianapolis Sunday.

—Ralph Edgerton will start on his trip to Duluth, Minn., Tuesday.

—Architect Crutch, of Indianapolis, transacted business here, today.

—Miss Mary King, of Indianapolis, is the guest of Miss Nora McCoy.

—Dr. J. H. Hutchinson, of Xenia, Ohio, is visiting friends in this city.

—Miss Nellie Bebout, of Indianapolis, visited friends in this city Sunday.

—Gunn Hayden and wife, are visiting the former's parents in Kentucky.

—Vincent Young and Guy Gordon visited friends in Indianapolis Sunday.

—Rev. W. S. Campbell, of Louisville, Ky., is visiting friends in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIntyre spent Sunday with relatives at Shelbyville.

—Jabez Smith and wife spent Sunday with T. B. Scott, of Washington township.

—Cyrus C. Barrett, of Knightstown, transacted business in this city today.

—Miss Goldie Rudicel, of Connersville, spent Sunday with Miss Nellie Retherford.

—Norm Norris will leave Sunday, August 6th, for a week's outing at St. Joseph, Mich.

—Joe Clark, Cecil Clark, Miss Carrie Lambert and Miss Holmes, spent Sunday in Carthage.

—Mrs. Chas. Kennedy, of Indianapolis, spent the day with Mrs. Emily Coleman Sunday.

—Uncle George Oliver accompanied Blaine McCoy home to Anderson Saturday for a visit.

—Miss May Mallory has returned home to Lewisville, after a short visit with relatives in this city.

—Dolph Humes, who has been visiting his parents south of this city, will return to Indianapolis Tuesday.

—Mrs. H. S. Dorsey, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Effie Coleman, returned to her home in Illinois today.

—Chas. Beunfer and Miss Lillian Reynolds, of Covington, Ky., visited Lewis Clark and family over Sunday.

—Miss Hattie Carney will leave tomorrow for a week's visit with Miss Nell Lyons, who lives near Knightstown.

—Mrs. Hooker Wilson, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to her home in Clarksburg, Va.

—Mr. and Mrs. Riley Siders, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wilson, of Greenfield, were guests of Henry McMahan, Tuesday.

—Miss Stella Schattner and brother Joseph, of Indianapolis, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schattner, of this city Sunday.

—Claude and Laura Wright, of Connersville, who have been the guests of their sister, Mrs. Oscar Mallory, returned home yesterday.

—Jesse Pugh and family, Mrs. J. W. Hogsett and daughter Nanny will leave for Lake Winona next Wednesday for a week's outing.

—Allen Daniels went to Indianapolis to day to attend the State convention of the colored Odd Fellows' lodge. Miss Nannie Orear also went to the capital city, as a delegate to the convention of the Daughters of Ruth, which convenes at the same time.

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